

# UNDERSTANDING PROPERTY TAXES

We designed this information sheet to provide you with the basic knowledge about how the Montana property tax system works. We encourage you to contact your local Department of Revenue office if you need additional information or have questions.

## Where Property Tax Dollars Go

Schools and many other services are funded by property tax dollars. The pie chart below illustrates the distribution of Montana's property tax dollars.

**Allocation of Property Taxes  
by Taxing Jurisdiction Type in FY 2013**

